Spring 2018 Course Descriptions

Instructor: Apostolos Vasilakis
Course: ENGL 303
Title: Literary Approaches in Praxis

Description: The purpose of the course is to introduce English majors to the field of English Studies. In this course we will study the history and the transformation of the field, and the different forces, traditions, and methodologies that have been instrumental in our approach or understanding of literature.

Learning outcomes:
- An understanding of the history of the discipline, its transformations, and different methodologies.
- A familiarity with the different approaches that one can use to understand literature and the material or historical conditions that have produced it.
- Analyze a text critically and construct a written critical analysis based on both close-reading and the use of secondary sources.